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Dear Mr. Enddlaston:

I was indeed saddened to learn of the death of your father earlier this week. The record of his public service will stand as a measurement to his genuine dedication and devotion to both his state and country. May I extend to you and your family my very deepest sympathy.

Sincerely.

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Allen W. Dulles Director

Honosable George Huddleston Jr. House of Representatives Washington 25, D.C.

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in Birmingham, Ala., for former Rep. George Huddleston Sr. (D-Ala.) who died after a

long illness Monday at his home there. He was 90 years old.

Mr. Huddleston represented Alabama's 9th District in Congress from 1915-37. He was



defeated in a Mr. Huddleston run-off primary in a heated bid for re-election that saw him hit his opponent over the head with a catsup bottle.

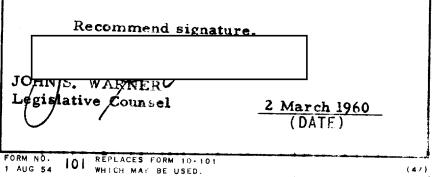
His proposal for Federal development of electrical energy at Niagara Falls led to later legislation affecting the Tennessee Valley Authority. He also sponsored a Federal home loan system bill.

Born on a farm in Tennessee, Mr. Huddleston served in the Spanish-American War and practiced law before entering Congress.

A son, George Jr., 5925 Greentree drive, Falls Church, has represented his father's old district in Congress since 1955. The elder Mr. Huddleston also leaves his wife, Berths; another son, three daugh

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

Attached is a proposed letter to
Representative Huddleston concerning the death
of his father this week. Huddleston is a member
of the CIA Subcommittee of House Armed
Services. He now occupies the congressional
seat which his father occupied for many years.
Attached also is an obituary item from today's
WASHINGTON POST.



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